

SENATE BILL 2291

By Bell

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 3,
Chapter 6, Part 3, relative to lobbyists.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 3-6-301(15)(D), is amended by deleting the language "provided, however, that, if the board, utility" and substituting instead the language "provided, however, any employee of the executive branch of state government who engages in lobbying pursuant to subdivision (15)(A) with respect to legislative branch officials shall comply with the lobbying registration requirements of this part; if a board, utility".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 3-6-302(e), is amended by adding the following language at the end of the subsection:

Any employee of the executive branch of state government who engages in lobbying and is required to register shall not be subject to any fees for lobbyist registration or subject to the tax levied pursuant to § 67-4-1702(a)(1).

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect January 1, 2019, the public welfare requiring it.